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In re Application of:

Inventor(s) : Pollock et al.
Filed : Herewith
Title : INLET BAFFLE FOR WATER HEATER
Docket : 006593-01868

BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Enclosed are the following papers:

- Specification, Claims and Abstract, 11 page total.
 Drawings: 7 sheets. (Informal).
 Declaration (Executed).
 A check in the amount of \$768.00 is enclosed, based upon the calculation below.

Basic Fee				\$ 690.00
Total Claims	<u>16 - 20</u> = <u>0</u> x	\$ 18.00	=	\$.00
Independent Claims	<u>4 - 3</u> = <u>1</u> x	\$ 78.00	=	\$ 78.00
Charge for multiple dependent claims		\$260.00	=	\$.00

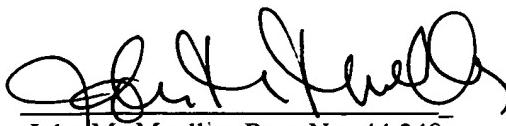
TOTAL FEES DUE				\$ 768.00

The applicant(s) authorizes the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3) to treat any paper that is filed in this application which requires an extension of time as incorporating a request for such an extension.

Applicant(s) further authorizes the Commissioner to charge any additional fees required (including the fee for any additional extension of time) to Deposit Account No. 20-0809.

Respectfully submitted,

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